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Free Screening of the CNN Original Series Race for the White House "Truman vs. Dewey"

Atlanta- Join us this coming Monday, March 21st at 7:00pm as the Jimmy Carter Presidential Library and CNN presents a free preview screening of the CNN.

Original Series Race for the White House "Truman vs. Dewey."

Following the 45minute screening, Dr. Andra Gillespie, Director of the James Weldon Johnson Institute for the Study of Race and Difference at Emory University will speak on 'Race and Presidential Elections.'

Race for the White House is a six-part series narrated by Academy Award® winner Kevin Spacey. Using rare archival footage, interviews and stylized dramatizations, each hour-long episode tells the story of one iconic campaign for the Presidency of the United States.

The Truman vs. Dewey race is particularly fascinating, pitting an unpopular and unelected President against a popular Governor with movie star appeal. Postwar civil rights, unions, housing, a dramatic special session of the Republican-controlled Congress, and claims of fascism shape the campaign to its dramatic conclusion.

Race for the White House captures the drama of a high-stakes presidential election and its impact on politics today. The series, executive produced by Spacey and Dana Brunetti (*House of Cards*), regularly airs Sundays at 9 p.m. ET/PT.

The preview screening will be in the Jimmy Carter Presidential Museum Theater, 441 Freedom Parkway, Atlanta, GA. No reservations are needed but seating is limited so arrive early. Doors open at 6:15pm.

For more information, call <u>404-865-7109</u>. You can keep up with the Carter Library events on the Jimmy Carter Presidential Library page on Facebook and follow the CarterLibrary on Twitter. If you wish to unsubscribe to these news releases, simply email <u>tony.clark@nara.gov</u> and put "UNSUBSCRIBE" in the subject line.